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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Adrien GELET

Group Art Unit: 3741

Appl. No. : 09/245,894

Examiner: Michael Neas

Filed : February 8, 1999

For : ARRANGEMENT FOR MAINTAINING A PROTECTIVE HELMET

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Responsive to the Office Action of August 8, 2000, reconsideration of this action and allowance of all the claims of the present application are respectfully requested and are now believed appropriate in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Inasmuch as the three-month shortened statutory period set in the office action expired on November 8, 2000, Applicant hereby requests an extension of two (2) months, i.e., from November 8, 2000 to January 8, 2001 and is concurrently filing a formal Request for

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